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RAYMOND, ALBERTA, FRIDAY, APRIL 27 1917

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## Read the Ads. Base Ball Post Office

### Moves to Security Bldg.

#### The Magrath Creamery

wishes to announce that they have  
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Raymond has long been recognized as one of the sport centers of southern Alberta. This town has many times staged championship contests. Wrestlers of worth have sprung up here. So have its cross players. And the season just closed brought forth a basket ball team, which probably has no equal in the west.

Are we going to uphold our reputation? If so what about base ball. Are going to have a team in the field this year? If so what about organization? Some action regarding "getting together" should be taken right away. Towns surrounding us are already boosting their teams. Lethbridge is organized. The Progressive Club of Magrath is tonight giving a dance to foster the proper spirit. New Dayton and Wainor are getting busy. What are we doing?

We have the material. Every year that Raymond has been represented the other towns have hustled when they won. This season will be no exception if the boys are brought together. That they have the spirit of the game is shown by their always being found "warming up" when a good day comes along. Heres hoping Raymond has a team this year.

Outfits, under the direction of Jas. Turner are busy this week putting the roads in good shape.

#### NOTICE

I have placed all my accounts in the hands of Solicitors, MacKenzie and Mezie of Lethbridge and empowered them to collect all monies due me.

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This weeks issue of the Leader will probably be distributed in the Security Building, the new Home of the Post Office. The fixtures used in the Chance Building are being carted to their new location and they will soon be installed. Postmaster King thinks the work will be completed this week end.

The removal of the office will be good news to many. Complaints of no small number have been heard regarding its former non central position. To hear of its new home will quell their protests.

The room in the Security Building is splendidly adapted to its new tenant. Besides being well lighted and easily accessible it has a large vault to serve the needs of the Post Office. The last occupant of the place was H. A. Jones, who conducted a confectionary parlor.

This is the third time the Office has been moved since being located in Raymond. Old timers will recall that it was originally in the Mercantile. A move was made and the place now occupied by Otis Barber shop, became the home for the distribution of the mail. Later the Chance Building became its home and now the Security Block.

B. F. Johnson was the first Postmaster. Following him came Mary Hyde, and next Jas. Kirkham, C. D. Fox and now L. D. King.

A. L. Gilnes will continue as Assistant Postmaster.

Another person thoroughly converted to the advantages of Canada. Bert Kenny has just returned from his former home in Utah and now he says Canada is the place for him. After seeing the methods of the farmers in the western states and the small parcels of land they have, Bert caught the first train for home and here he thinks he will remain in contentment.

It was announced this week that the commencement exercises of the Knight Academy will take place on May 17 and 18. To honor the day a fitting celebration will be held. Edward J. Wood of Cardston will deliver the baccalaureate address.

Mrs. O. H. Snow was the hostess at a dainty party given recently in honor of her husband, Pres. Snow who on the day in question, passed another milestone in the race of life. A large and representative gathering enjoyed the evening's festivities.

Several of Raymond's "younger bunch" intend "taking on" the Progressive Club's dance in Magrath tonight.

Z. N. Skouson, this week received another carload of Fords. This makes the 5th shipment this spring. Z. N. says they sell as fast as they can be assembled.

The Womens Institute will hold a short course school in Raymond for one week commencing May 10. It will consist of practical demonstrations in Cooking, Home Nursing etc. Every effort is being put forth to make these lessons interesting and instructive and the local members hope the Raymond ladies will avail themselves of the opportunity to study these vital matters under the supervision of the special teachers. The course will be free.

T. W. Harris was successful in finding the two lost Country Kids.







# Live News of Busy Magrath

## Money To Loan

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Subsidiary may be made at any Dominion Lands Agency (but not Sub-agency) on certain conditions.

**Duties**—Six months residence upon and cultivation of the land in each of three years. A homesteader may live within nine miles of his homestead on a farm of at least 40 acres, on certain conditions. A habitable house is required except where residence is performed in the vicinity.

In certain districts a homesteader in good standing may pre-empt a quarter-section along side his homestead. Price \$100 per acre.

**Duties**—Six months residence on each of three years after earning homestead patent; also 30 acres extra cultivation. Pre-emption patent may be obtained as soon as homestead patent, on certain conditions.

A settler who has exhausted his homestead right may take a purchased homestead in certain districts. Price \$300 per acre. Also 30 acres extra cultivation in each of three years, cultivate 30 acres and erect a house worth \$300.

The area of cultivation is subject to reduction in case of rough, scrubby or stony and livestock may be substituted for cultivation under certain conditions.

W.W. CORY C.M.G.,  
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## Notice

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN

Notice is hereby given that the Tax Enforcement Return of the Town of Raymond for the year 1916 will be confirmed at the Sittings of the District Court of the District of Lethbridge to be held at the Town Hall at the Town of Raymond on Tuesday the 4th day of September, 1917, commencing at the hour of 10 A.M.

Dated at Raymond, in the Province of Alberta, this 14th day of March, 1917.

S. FARNHAM KIMBALL,  
Secretary-Treasurer of the Town of Raymond. 3-17-17

## MONEY TO LOAN ON FARM LAND

INTEREST 10%  
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CONTRACTS, FIRST AND SECOND MORTGAGES BOUGHT

## Church Grounds to be Beautified

At the last session of the Sunday school, the members of the Parents class, took up the matter of cooperating with the Bishopric in getting trees planted around the meeting house and also beautifying the grounds. It is hoped those who have taken the initiative will continue and that the people of the town will lend their support. It is a worthy move and deserves encouragement. The meeting house is a beautiful structure and merits surroundings that will befittingly represent it.

News was recently received from Frank Steele saying he had reached Chattanooga and is highly pleased with the city. As is known, Frank is to labor in the Southern States as a missionary for the Mormon Church.

Oregon & California Railroad Co. Grant Lands. Title to same reserved in United States by Act of Congress dated June 9, 1916. Two million three hundred thousand acres to be opened for homesteads and sale. Timber and Agriculture lands. Containing some of the best land left in United States. Now is the opportune time. Large map showing lands by sections and description of soil, climate, rainfall, elevations, etc. Postpaid One Dollar. Grant Lands Locating Co. Box 610 Portland, Oregon.

## Base Ball Season

To Start With a

**Dance To-night**

Baseball will flourish this season in Magrath. Such is evident by conversations heard everywhere. The opening gun will be fired to-night with the grand ball which is to be given by the Progressive Club with the idea of raising finances to start the season right. New uniforms will be purchased, along with a first class outfit. No doubt a tremendous crowd will be in attendance. The dance has been advertised in all the surrounding towns and a large crowd is expected from them. The music will be furnished by the Cardston Orchestra.

To will further the baseball spirit it is hoped to get the business houses to declare an afternoon holiday, one day each week. If successful, of course the games will be held on these days. They will facilitate practising.

## Where is the Light

**Plant to be Built?**

Mr. Crane who was recently in town, with the idea of selecting a site for the electric light plant has not made a decision as yet. However other work pertaining to the installation is going on. Materials for the construction of the lines have been shipped from Calgary for a week and are expected here on Monday's train. Immediately on their arrival the work of placing them will be pushed vigorously forward.

A large prairie fire was started Sunday, which burnt a large strip of grass in the McIntyre field. The fire emanated from Harold Beswick's stable land, where Mr. Beswick was the act of destroying his stable when a whirling wind carried the sparks into the adjoining field where it done considerable damage before being checked by fire fighters from town. Mr. Beswick was brought up before O. A. Wosley J. P. and fined \$50.00 and the costs of court.

Andy Hepler of Cardston was a business visitor in Town yesterday.

Joseph Y. Card spent the day in the city on business.

The reward offered for the return of two lost country kids, was received by Mr. T. W. Harris of Raymond.

The teachers who attended the recent convention in Calgary, report it as being the most successful, ever held in the Province. Almost four hundred teachers were in attendance, in addition to a large number of trustees and citizens. The convention, will be held in Edmonton, next year.

The Womens Institute held a very interesting meeting in the Town Hall, Wednesday afternoon. An excellent program rendered by the members.

The quarterly annual conference of the Taylor Stake will take place in Raymond on Saturday and Sunday May 12 and 13.

Combined choirs under the direction of Wm. Stone have commenced practising special music to be rendered at the "Mormon Conference."

BORN—To Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Bennett, a son and heir.

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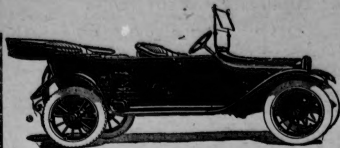
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Raymond Alta.

A copy of the Toole's Transcript just received states, Wm. Green and family have left that town for Raymond, Canada.

The members of the band who are canvassing the town in the interests of that organization are meeting with exceptional success. The first day out they collected \$50.

Harding Brewerton returned last week from Saskatchewan where he has been in the interests of the Williamson Submarine Motion Pictures.

Another car of Chevrolet was received in town this week. King Brothers, the local dealers, report a heavy demand for these cars. They are sold as fast as they can be brought in.

# RAYMOND LEADER

Published Every Friday  
\$1.50 a Year in Advance

G. H. BREWERTON Editor

In the last three years, Raymond has received considerable publicity in the state of Utah. It pertained principally to the Sugar Factory. Of its failure here and sale and removal to that state.

The people there believe the cessation of action of the mill in this country was occasioned by the unproductiveness of the soil. That the land here is not adapted to the raising of sugar beets. As beets are understood to be a fairly easy root to grow the Utahans' opinion of this country cannot be very high.

An opportunity exists of counter-acting that false impression. Of demonstrating, by actual results that the soil here is of a superior nature. We refer, of course, to the "Mormon" Church's production contest.

We repeat, a Canadian entry in the competition, would show wonderful results.

A short time ago a representative of the local Womens Institute gave a review of the work accomplished by that body. We confess that until that time we had not an appreciation commensurate to the merits of that organization. But since consideration, the realization is naturally presented that it is surely a worthy and energetic society. They stand for the uplift of all conditions in the community. And it is all practicable too.

We are boosters for the Womens Institute.

Emerson Tractors were recently sold by Harris and Evans to Roy Anderson and Libbert brothers.

The pupils of the public school are rehearsing an operetta, entitled, A Day in the Woods, which they expect to present in the near future. The work is under the direction of Mr. Mitchell.

Wm. Paris installed this week, a gasoline tank in front of King Bros store. Motorists can now very handily get a supply of the "stuff" that makes the joy wagons go.

It will be of interest to his friends here to learn that Fairfax Gordon, who enlisted with the U.S. Marines has been promoted in the service. He is now in Manila, attached to the Signalling Corp. Four members out of 200 were selected for these responsible positions. Being one of the four was a testimony to the estimation in which Fairfax was held by the officers.

That the spring season has not been wholly dis-advantageous for farming operations was evidenced this week when the O.K. Farm completed work on a two hundred acre field. But Mr. Lind, in common with everyone else hopes the weather will soon settle so that the seeding of grain can be uninterrupted go on.

The O. K. Management expect to put in a heavy acreage this season.

At the Rex Theatre tonight will be shown the two reel comedy When Damon fell for Pythias. It is a burlesque on the well known story. This picture was selected by the management of the Rialto (the finest photoplay house in the world) as the best comedy on the market the day it was released, two months ago. On Monday and Tuesday will be run the great American drama, "The Way of the World".

BORN—To Mr. and Mrs. Burrows on April 19, a boy.

BORN—To Mr. and Mrs. Lief Ericson, on April 20 a girl.

BORN—To Mr. and Mrs. Will Card Jr. on April 21 a boy.

BORN—To Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Meeks on April 21 a girl.

BORN—To Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Costley on April 23 a boy.

## THE PLOW OUR HOPE

This was One of the Significant Phrases Recently  
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We will do this for you if you send in samples of the seed.

**FARM HELP.** If you require farm help, write to one of the following:—

Agent of Department of Agriculture, Board of Trade Building, Lethbridge.  
Agent of Department of Agriculture, Dairy Commissioner's Office, Calgary.  
Agent of Department of Agriculture, Office of Publicity Commissioner, Edmonton.

Let this year be one of

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We shall be pleased to mail you bulletins upon "Vegetable Gardening," "Poultry Raising" or any other agricultural endeavor, as well as to give assistance through the officials of the Department.

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Minister of Agriculture

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I will not be responsible for the debts contracted by Chaw Wee. Signed Joe Yone

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Also commencing the same date the soap will close promptly at 8 o'clock, except on Saturdays and Dance Nights.

T. E. OLL  
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